

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 2340, to improve the safety and security of the Federal judiciary, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nominations of Mary Katherine Dimke, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Washington, Maame Ewusi-Mensah Frimpong, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, Jennifer L. Thurston, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of California, Gabriel P. Sanchez, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, Samantha D. Elliott, to be United States District

Judge for the District of New Hampshire, Linda Lopez, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California, Katherine Marie Menendez, to be United States District Judge for the District of Minnesota, Jinsook Ohta, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California, David Herrera Urias, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Mexico, and Gregory K. Harris, to be United States Attorney for the Central District of Illinois, Philip R. Sellinger, to be United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey, Brandon B. Brown, of Louisiana, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Louisiana, and Ronald C. Gathe, Jr., of Louisiana, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Louisiana, all of the Department of Justice.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 6119–6138; and 6 resolutions, H. Res. 830–835, were introduced. **Pages H6908–09**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H6910–11**

Report Filed: A report was filed today as follows:

H. Res. 829, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6119) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022, and for other purposes; and for other purposes (H. Rept. 117–201). **Page H6908**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Tonko to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H6861**

Recess: The House recessed at 8:10 a.m. and reconvened at 10 a.m. **Page H6862**

Recess: The House recessed at 10:22 a.m. and reconvened at 12:37 p.m. **Page H6865**

Motion to Adjourn: Rejected the Roy motion to adjourn by a ye-and-nay vote of 200 yeas to 224 nays, Roll No. 394. **Page H6869**

Further Extending Government Act: The House passed H.R. 6119, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022, by a ye-and-nay vote of 221 yeas to 212 nays, Roll No. 399.

Subsequently, Representative Evans moved to reconsider the vote, and Representative DeLauro moved to table the motion to reconsider, which was

agreed to by a ye-and-nay vote of 217 yeas to 209 nays, Roll No. 400. **Pages H6872–91**

Rejected the Calvert motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations by a ye-and-nay vote of 211 yeas to 219 nays, Roll No. 398. **Page H6889**

H. Res. 829, the rule providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6119) was agreed to by a ye-and-nay vote of 219 yeas to 208 nays, Roll No. 396, after the previous question was ordered by a ye-and-nay vote of 218 yeas to 209 nays, Roll No. 395. Subsequently, Representative Roybal-Allard moved to reconsider the vote, and Representative McGovern moved to table the motion to reconsider, which was agreed to by a ye-and-nay vote of 217 yeas to 202 nays, Roll No. 397. **Pages H6865–69, H6869–72**

Suspension—Proceedings Resumed: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measure. Consideration began Wednesday, December 1st.

Safeguard Tribal Objects of Patrimony Act of 2021: H.R. 2930, amended, to enhance protections of Native American tangible cultural heritage, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-and-nay vote of 364 yeas to 57 nays, Roll No. 401. **Pages H6891–92**

Quorum Calls—Votes: Eight ye-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H6869, H6870, H6870–71, H6871–72, H6889, H6890, H6890–91, and H6891–92.

Adjournment: The House met at 8 a.m. and adjourned at 8:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MINDING THE GAP: HOW OPERATIONAL ENERGY CAN HELP US ADDRESS LOGISTICS CHALLENGES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness held a hearing entitled “Minding the Gap: How Operational Energy Can Help Us Address Logistics Challenges”. Testimony was heard from Lieutenant General Sam. C. Barrett, Joint Staff, Director for Logistics, J-4; Lieutenant General Duane A. Gamble, U.S. Army, Deputy Chief of Staff, G-4; Vice Admiral Rick Williamson, U.S. Navy, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Fleet Readiness and Logistics, N-4; Lieutenant General Edward Banta, U.S. Marine Corps, Deputy Commandant, Installations and Logistics; and Lieutenant General Warren D. Berry, U.S. Air Force, Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Engineering and Force Protection, A-4.

STRENGTHENING THE SAFETY NET FOR INJURED WORKERS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Workforce Protections held a hearing entitled “Strengthening the Safety Net for Injured Workers”. Testimony was heard from Representative Carbajal; Christopher J. Godfrey, Director, Office of Workers’ Compensation Programs, U.S. Department of Labor; and Thomas M. Costa, Director, Education, Workforce, and Income Security, Government Accountability Office.

THE OVERDOSE CRISIS: INTERAGENCY PROPOSAL TO COMBAT ILLICIT FENTANYL-RELATED SUBSTANCES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “The Overdose Crisis: Interagency Proposal to Combat Illicit Fentanyl-Related Substances”. Testimony was heard from Kemp L. Chester, Assistant Director, Executive Office of the President, Office of National Drug Control Policy; Louis J. Milione, Principal Deputy Administrator, U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration, U.S. Department of Justice; Lisa O. Monaco, Deputy Attorney General, U.S. Department of Justice; Douglas Throckmorton, M.D., Deputy Director for Regulatory Programs, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, U.S. Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and Nora D. Volkow, M.D., Director, National Institute on Drug Abuse, National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services.

INNOVATIVE MUNICIPAL LEADERSHIP IN CENTRAL EUROPE: FOUNDING MEMBERS OF THE PACT OF FREE CITIES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe, Energy, the Environment, and Cyber held a hearing entitled “Innovative Municipal Leadership in Central Europe: Founding Members of the Pact of Free Cities”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WHAT MORE PUBLIC LANDS LEASING MEANS FOR ACHIEVING U.S. CLIMATE TARGETS

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources held a hearing entitled “What More Public Lands Leasing Means for Achieving U.S. Climate Targets”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Oversight and Reform: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 5477, the “Federal Agency Climate Planning, Resilience, and Enhanced Preparedness Act”; H.R. 4688, the “Federal Agency Customer Experience Act”; H.R. 5792, the “State and Local Digital Services Act”; H.R. 4778, the “District of Columbia Courts Vacancy Reduction Act”; H.R. 6066, the “Strengthening the Office of Personnel Management Act”; H.R. 700, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 303 East Mississippi Avenue in Elwood, Illinois, as the “Lawrence M. ‘Larry’ Walsh Sr. Post Office”; H.R. 3508, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 39 West Main Street, in Honeoye Falls, New York, as the “CW4 Christian J. Koch Memorial Post Office”; H.R. 4899, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 10 Broadway Street West, in Akeley, Minnesota, as the “Neal Kenneth Todd Post Office”; H.R. 5271, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2245 Rosa L Parks Boulevard in Nashville, Tennessee, as the “Thelma Harper Post Office Building”; H.R. 5577, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3900 Crown Road Southwest in Atlanta, Georgia, as the “John R. Lewis Post Office Building”; H.R. 5650, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service at 16605 East Avenue of the Fountains in Fountain Hills, Arizona, as the “Dr. C.T. Wright Post Office Building”; and H.R. 5659, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1961 North C Street in Oxnard, California, as the “John R. Hatcher III Post Office Building”. H.R. 4688, H.R. 5792, H.R. 4778, H.R. 6066, and H.R. 5477 were ordered reported, as amended. H.R. 700, H.R.